

**CONFIDENTIAL**

Form 3160-3  
(July 1992)

**UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE\*

FORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 1040-0138  
Expires: February 28, 1995

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR DEEPEN		
TYPE OF WORK DRILL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEEPEN <input type="checkbox"/>		
TYPE OF WELL <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE <input type="checkbox"/> OIL WELL GAS WELL OTHER ZONE ZONE		
2. NAME OF OPERATOR QEP UINTA BASIN, INC.		Contact: Jan Nelson E-Mail: jan.nelson@questar.com
3. ADDRESS 11002 E. 17500 S. Vernal, Ut 84078		Telephone number Phone 435-781-4331 Fax 435-781-4323
4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with and State requirements*) At Surface 631605X 1850' FNL 462' FEL SENE, SECTION 17, T8S, R22E At proposed production zone SAME 4442612X 40.125434 -109.455472		9.API NUMBER: 43-047-37995 10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT <del>NATURAL GAS</del> 10.1815 11. SEC., T, R, M, OR BLK & SURVEY OR AREA SEC.17, T8S, R22E Mer SLB
14. DISTANCE IN MILES FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POSTOFFICE* 25 +/- SOUTHEAST OF VERNAL, UTAH		12. COUNTY OR PARISH Uintah
15. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION TO NEAREST PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT. (also to nearest drig,unit line if any) 462' +/-		13. STATE UT
16.NO.OF ACRES IN LEASE 480.00		17. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED TO THIS WELL 40
18.DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED location to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft 2000' +/-		19. PROPOSED DEPTH 11325'
20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file ESB000024		21. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, ect.) 4968.5' GR
22. DATE WORK WILL START ASAP		23. Estimated duration 15 days
24. Attachments		

The following, completed in accordance with the requirments of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
2. A Drilling Plan
3. A surface Use Plan ( if location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).
4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an exisiting bond on file (see Item 20 above).
5. Operator certification.
6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer.

SIGNED

*Jan Nelson*

Name (printed/typed) Jan Nelson

DATE 4-3-06

TITLE

Regulatory Affairs

(This space for Federal or State office use)

PERMIT NO.

43047-37995

APPROVAL DATE

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL IF ANY:

APPROVED BY

*Bradley G. Hill*

TITLE

BRADLEY G. HILL  
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGER

DATE

04-17-06

\*See Instructions On Reverse Side

Title 18 U.S.C Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any mater within its jurisdiction

Federal Approval of this  
Action is Necessary

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

T8S, R22E, S.L.B.&M.

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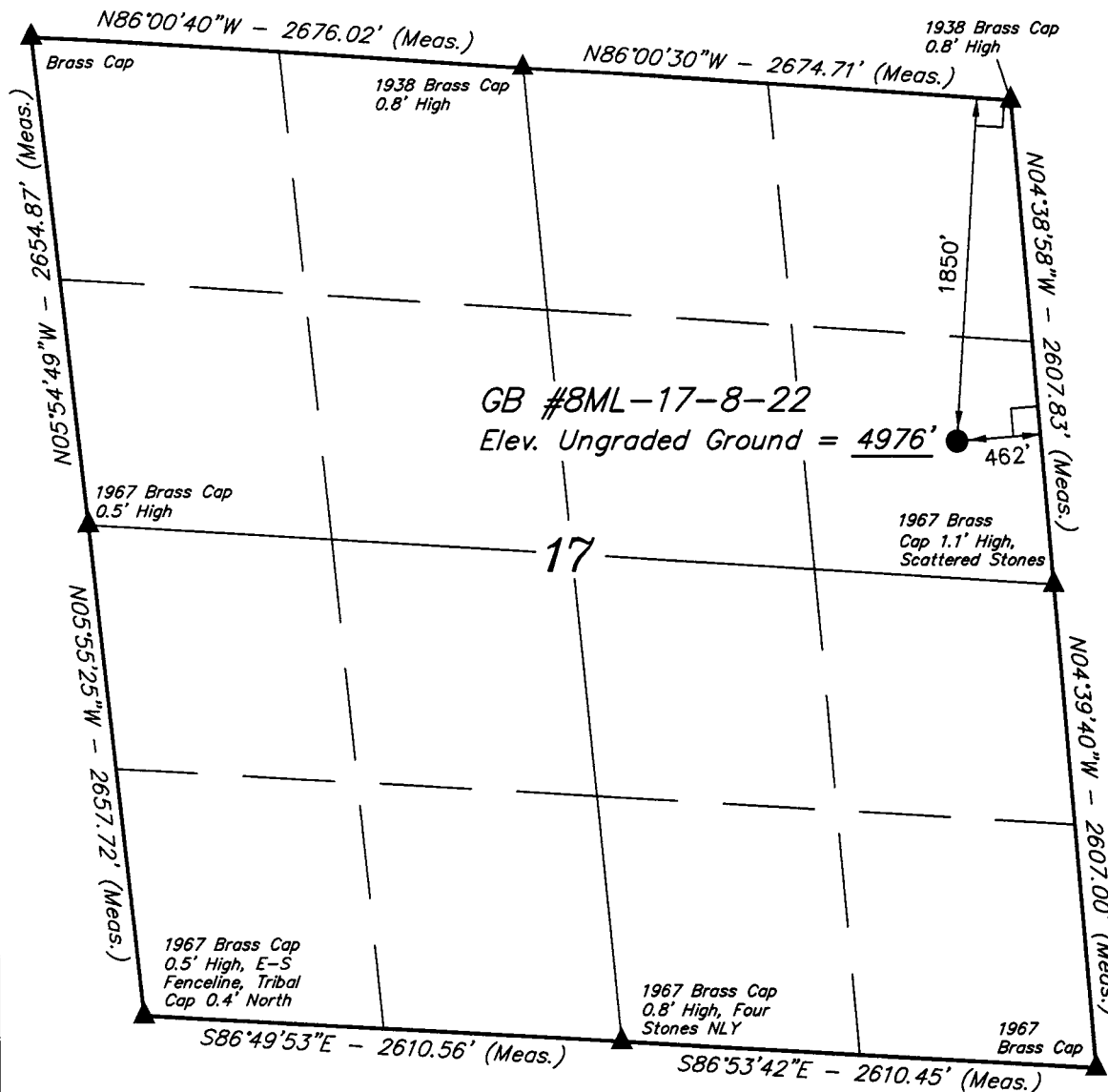
Well location, GB #8ML-17-8-22, located as shown in the SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 17, T8S, R22E, S.L.B.&M. Uintah County, Utah.

### BASIS OF ELEVATION

BENCH MARK 20EAM LOCATED IN THE SE 1/4 OF SECTION 35, T8S, R21E, S.L.B.&M. TAKEN FROM THE OURAY SE, QUADRANGLE, UTAH, UINTAH COUNTY, 7.5 MINUTE QUAD. (TOPOGRAPHIC MAP) PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. SAID ELEVATION IS MARKED AS BEING 4697 FEET.

### BASIS OF BEARINGS

BASIS OF BEARINGS IS A G.P.S. OBSERVATION.



SCALE

### CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE PLAT WAS PREPARED FROM FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEYS MADE BY ME OR UNDER MY SUPERVISION AND THAT THE SAME ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

*[Signature]*  
 REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR  
 REGISTRATION NO. 461319  
 STATE OF UTAH

UINTAH ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING  
 85 SOUTH 200 EAST - VERNAL, UTAH 84078  
 (435) 789-1017

### LEGEND:

└─┘ = 90° SYMBOL

● = PROPOSED WELL HEAD.

▲ = SECTION CORNERS LOCATED.

(NAD 83)  
 LATITUDE = 40°07'31.31" (40.125364)  
 LONGITUDE = 109°27'22.30" (109.456194)

(NAD 27)  
 LATITUDE = 40°07'31.44" (40.125400)  
 LONGITUDE = 109°27'19.83" (109.455508)

**Additional Operator Remarks**

QEP Uinta Basin, Inc. proposes to drill a well to 11325' to test the MesaVerde. If productive, casing will be run and the well completed. If dry, the well will be plugged and abandoned as per BLM and State of Utah requirements"

Please see QEP Uinta Basin, Inc. Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde Formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 and 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

See attached Onshore No. 1

Please be advised that QEP Uinta Basin Inc. agrees to be responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the lease lands.

Bond coverage for this well is provided by Bond No.ESB000024. The principal is QEP Uinta Basin Inc. via surety as consent as provided for the 43 CFR 3104.2.

DRILLING PROGRAM

ONSHORE OIL & GAS ORDER NO. 1  
Approval of Operations on Onshore  
Federal Oil and Gas Leases

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with applicable laws, regulations (43 CFR 3100), Onshore Oil and Gas No. 1, and the approved plan of operations. The operator is fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of these conditions will be furnished the field representative to insure compliance.

1. Formation Tops

The estimated tops of important geologic markers are as follows:

<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>	<u>Prod. Phase Anticipated</u>
Uinta	Surface	
Green River	2866'	
Wasatch	6026'	Gas
Mesa Verde	8896'	
Sego	11166'	
TD	11325'	

2. Anticipated Depths of Oil Gas Water and Other Mineral Bearing Zones

The estimated depths at which the top and bottom of the anticipated water, oil, gas. Or other mineral bearing formations are expected to be encountered are as follows:

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>
Oil/Gas	Mesa Verde	11325'

All fresh water and prospectively valuable minerals encountered during drilling, will be recorded by depth and adequately protected. All oil and gas shows will be tested to determine commercial potential.

All water shows and water-bearing sands will be reported to the BLM in Vernal, Utah. Copies of State of Utah form OGC-8-X are acceptable. If no flows are detected, samples will be submitted to the BLM along with any water analyses conducted. Fresh water will be obtained from Wonsits Valley water right #36125 or Red Wash water right # 49-2153 to supply fresh water for drilling purposes.

All water resulting from drilling operations will be disposed of at Red Wash Central Battery Disposal Site; SWSE, Section 27, T7S, R23E or Wonsits Valley Disposal Site; SWNW, Section 12, T8S, R21E.

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3. Operator's Specification for Pressure Control Equipment:

- A. 5,000 psi W.P. Double Gate BOP or Single Gate BOP (schematic attached)
- B. Functional test daily
- C. All casing strings shall be pressure tested (0.2 psi/foot or 1500 psi, (or 70% of burst whichever is greater) prior to drilling the plug after cementing; test pressure shall not exceed the internal yield pressure of the casing.
- D. Ram type preventers and associated equipment shall be tested to approved stack working pressure if isolated by test plug or to 50 percent of internal yield pressure of casing whichever is less. BOP and related equipment shall meet the minimum requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 for equipment and testing requirements, procedures, etc..., for a 5M system and individual components shall be operable as designed.

4. Casing Program

	<u>Depth</u>	<u>Hole Size</u>	<u>Csg Size</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Weight</u>
Surface	700'	12 1/4"	9-5/8"	J-55	36 lb/ft (new) LT&C
Production	2325'	7 -7/8"	4 -1/2"	P-110	11.60 lb/ft (new LT&C
TD	11325'	7 -7/8"	4 -1/2"	M-80	11.60 lb/ft (new)LT&C

5. Auxiliary Equipment

- A. Kelly Cock – yes
- B. Float at the bit – no
- C. Monitoring equipment on the mud system – visually and/or PVT/Flow Show
- D. Full opening safety valve on the rig floor – yes
- E. Rotating Head – yes  
If drilling with air the following will be used:
- F. The blooie line shall be at least 6" in diameter and extend at least 100' from the well bore into the reserve/blooie pit.
- G. Blooie line ignition shall be provided by a continuous pilot (ignited when drilling below 500').

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- H. Compressor shall be tied directly to the blooie line through a manifold.
- I. A mister with a continuous stream of water shall be installed near the end of the blooie lines for dust suppression.

Surface hole will be drilled with air, air/mist, foam, or mud depending on hole conditions. Drilling below surface casing will be with water based drilling fluids consisting primarily of fresh water, bentonite, lignite, caustic, lime, soda ash and polymers. No chromates will be used. It is not intended to use oil in the mud, however, in the event it is used, oil concentration will be less than 4% by volume. Maximum anticipated mud weight is 9.5 ppg.

No minimum quantity of weight material will be required to be kept on location.

PVT/Flow Show will be used from base of surface casing to TD.

Gas detector will be used from surface casing depth to TD.

### 6. Testing, logging and coring program

- A. Cores – none anticipated
- B. DST – none anticipated

Logging – Mud logging – 4500 to TD  
GR-SP-Induction  
Neutron Density  
MRI

- C. Formation and Completion Interval: Wasatch / Mesa Verde interval, final determination of completion will be made by analysis of logs.  
Stimulation – Stimulation will be designed for the particular area of interest as encountered.

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7. Cementing Program

<u>Casing</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Type &amp; Additives</u>
Surface	399sx	Class "G" single slurry mixed to 15.6 ppg, yield = 1.19 cf/sx. Cement to surface with 160 cf (1541sx) calculated. Tail plug used. Allowed to set under pressure
Production	Lead-660sx* Tail-1747sx*	Lead/Tail oilfield type cement circulated in place . Tail slurry: Class "G" + gilsonite and additives as required, mixed to 14.8 ppg, yield = 1.34 cf/sx. Tail to 5526' (±500' above production zone).  Cement Characteristics: Lead slurry: Class "G" + extender and additives as required, mixed to 11.0 ppg, yield = 3.82 cf/sx. Lead to surface. Tail plug used. Allowed to set under pressure.

\*Final cement volumes to be calculated from caliper log with an attempt to be made to circulate cement to the surface. A bond log will be run across the zone of interest and across zones as required by the authorized officer to insure protection of natural resources.

8. Anticipated Abnormal Pressures and Temperatures, Other Potential Hazards

No abnormal temperatures or pressures are anticipated. No H2S has been encountered in or known to exist from previous wells drilled to similar depths in the general area. Maximum anticipated bottom hole pressure equals approximately 4911.0 psi. Maximum anticipated bottom hole temperature is 140° F.

# 5000 PSIG DIAGRAM

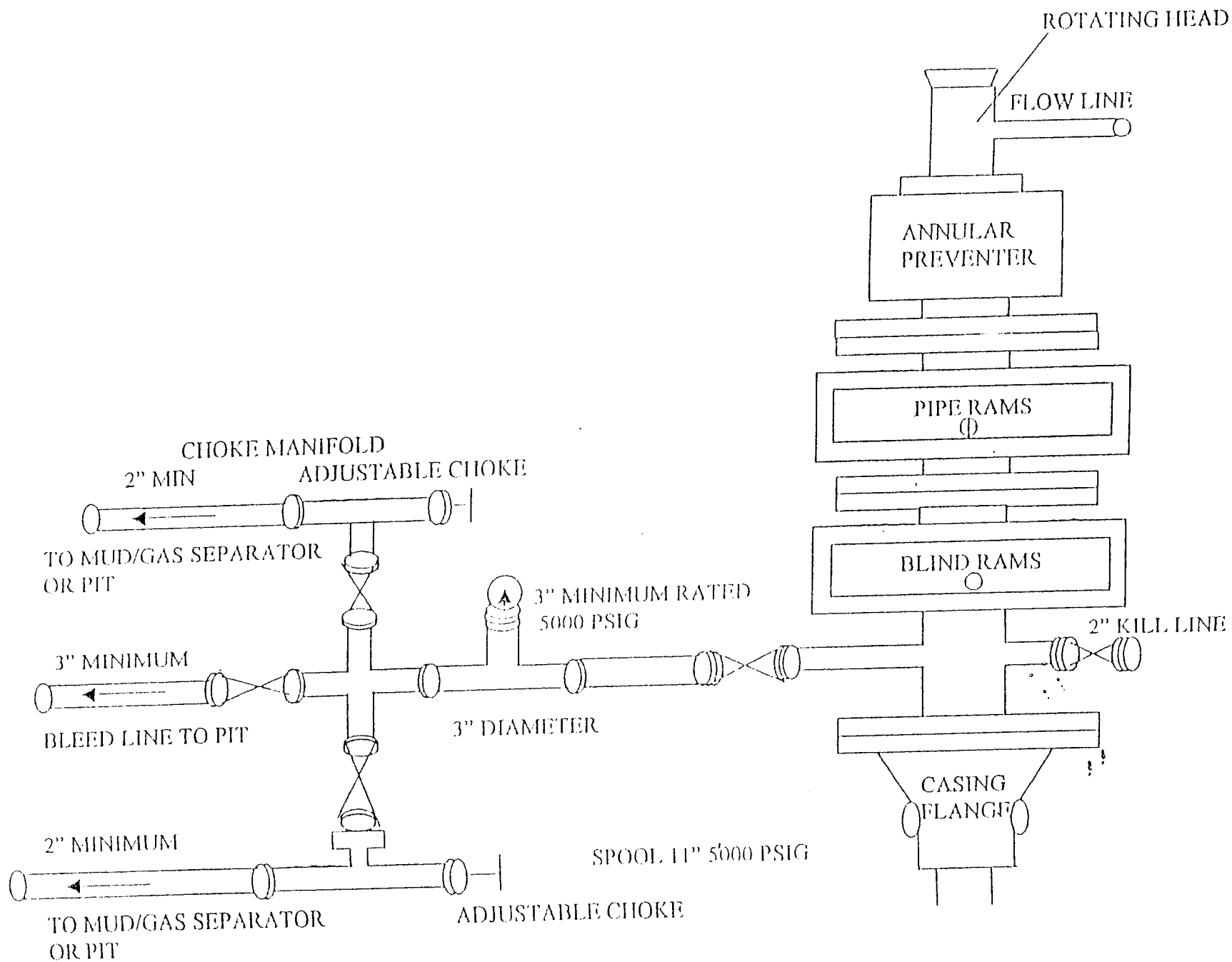
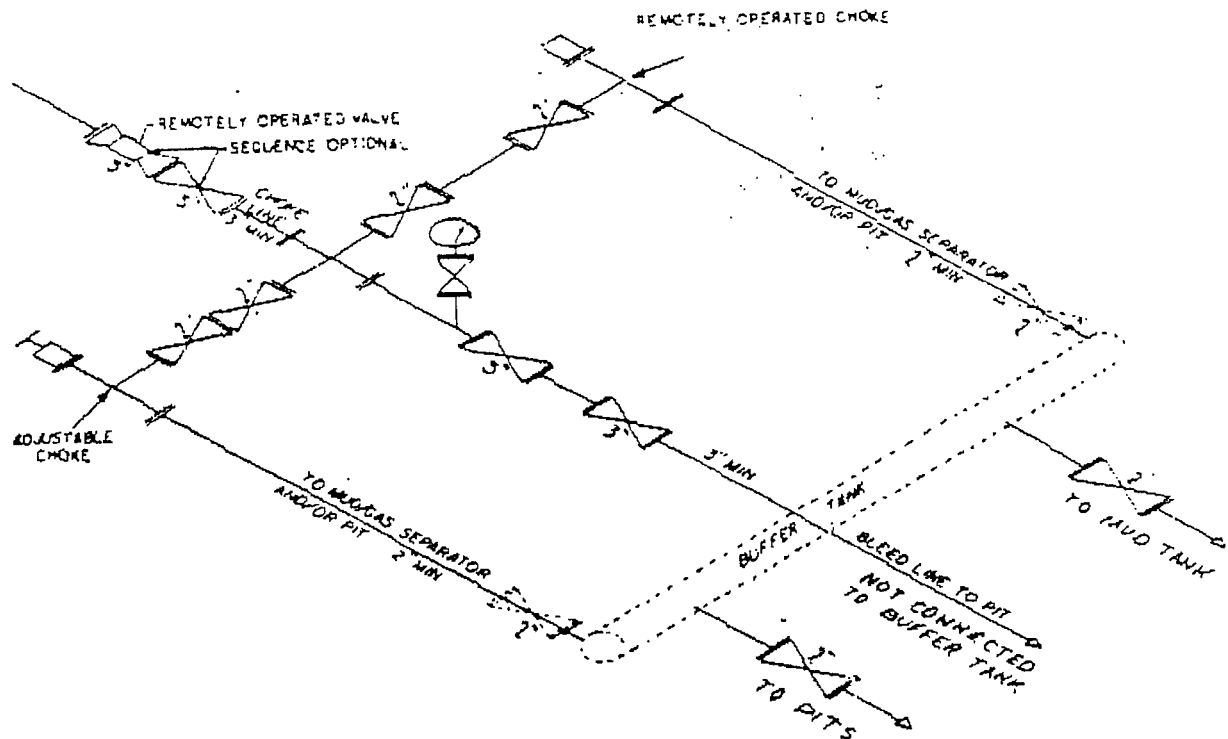


EXHIBIT B CONTINUED

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① 5M CHOKES MANIFOLD EQUIPMENT — CONFIGURATION OF CHOKES MAY VARY

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**QEP UINTA BASIN, INC.  
GB 8ML-17-8-22  
1850' FNL 462' FEL  
SENE, SECTION 17, T8S, R22E  
UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
LEASE # UTU-65276**

**ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1**

**MULTI – POINT SURFACE USE & OPERATIONS PLAN**

An onsite inspection was conducted for the GB 8ML-17-8-22 on March 28, 2006 . Weather conditions were cold and clear at the time of the onsite. In attendance at the inspection were the following individuals:

Paul Buhler	Bureau of Land Management
Amy Torres	Bureau of Land Management
Jan Nelson	QEP Uinta Basin Inc.

**1. Existing Roads:**

The proposed well site is approximately 25 miles southeast of Vernal, Utah.

Refer to Topo Maps A and B for location of access roads within a 2 – mile radius.

There will be no improvements made to existing roads.

**2. Planned Access Roads:**

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Refer to Topo Map B for the location of the proposed access road.

**3. Location of Existing Wells Within a 1 – Mile Radius:**

Please refer to Topo Map C.

**4. Location of Existing & Proposed Facilities:**

Please see QEP Uinta Basin, Inc. Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde Formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 and 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

Refer to Topo Map D for the location of the proposed pipeline.

QEP requests a surface pipeline based on the following justification included in the attached "Request for Exception".

**5. Location and Type of Water Supply:**

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**6. Source of Construction Materials:**

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**7. Methods of Handling Waste Materials:**

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**8. Ancillary Facilities:**

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**9. Well Site Layout: (See Location Layout Diagram)**

The attached Location Layout Diagram describes drill pad cross-sections, cuts and fills and locations of the mud tanks, reserve pit, flare pit, pipe racks, trailer parking, spoil dirt stockpile(s), and surface material stockpile(s).

Please see the attached diagram to describe rig orientation, parking areas, and access roads.

A pit liner is required. A felt pit liner will be required if bedrock is encountered.

**10. Plans for Reclamation of the Surface:**

Please see QEP Uinta Basin, Inc. Standard Operating Practices dated October 18, 2005, for Mesa Verde Formation Wells located in Red Wash, Wonsits Valley, Gypsum Hills, White River, Glen Bench, and Undesignated fields in Townships 07, 08 and 09 South, Ranges 21 to 25 East.

**Interim Reclamation**

Please see attached Interim Reclamation plan.

Once the well is put onto production, QEP will reclaim as much of the well pad as possible that will allow for operations to continue in a safe and reasonable manner. Reseeding will be done in the spring or fall of every year to allow winter precipitation to aid in the success of reclamation.

**Seed Mix:**

*Interim Reclamation:*

6 lbs Hycrest Crested Wheatgrass

6 lbs Needle & Thread Grass

*Final Reclamation:*

Seed Mix # 2      3 lbs. Western Wheat Grass, 3 lbs. Needle & Thread Grass, 2 lbs. Fourwing Saltbush

1 lb. Globe Mellow and 4 lbs. Hycrest Crested Wheat

**11. Surface Ownership:**

Bureau of Land Management

170 South 500 East

Vernal, Utah 84078

(435) 781-4400

**12. Other Information**

A Class III archaeological survey was conducted by Montgomery Archaeology Consultants. A copy of this report was submitted directly to the appropriate agencies by Montgomery Archaeology Consultants. Cultural resource clearance was recommended for this location.

A class III paleontological survey was conducted by Intermountain Paleo Consulting. A copy of this report was submitted directly to the appropriate agencies by Stephen D. Sandau. The inspection resulted in the location of no fossil resources. However, if vertebrate fossil(s) are found during construction a paleontologist should be immediately notified. QEP will provide paleo monitor if needed.

**QEP Uinta Basin, Inc.**  
**Request for Exception to Buried Pipeline**  
**for**  
**GB 8ML-17-8-22**

QEP respectfully requests an exception to burying this pipeline. We understand the standard Condition of Approval (COA) that may be included in the approved Application for Permit to Drill (APD) is: *“As a Best Management Practice (BMP), the pipeline would be buried within the identified construction width of an access corridor that contains the access road and pipelines. The construction width for the access corridor would increase from 30 feet, by an additional 20 feet, to a total of 50 feet. Exceptions to this BMP may be granted where laterally extensive, hard indurated bedrock, such as sandstone, is at or within 2 feet of the surface; and, soil types with a poor history of successful rehabilitation.”* QEP will install the pipeline within the access corridor and will avoid cross-country installation when possible. Our reason for requesting a surface line is based on the following justification:

**Class IV VRM**

- ♦ This area’s designated Visual Resource Management is classified as Class IV. The Class IV objective is to provide for management activities that require major modification to the existing character of the landscape. The level of change to the landscape can be high. The management activities may dominate the view and may be the major focus of the viewer attention. However, every attempt should be made to minimize the impact of these activities through careful location, minimal disturbance, and repetition of the basic visual elements of form, line, color, and texture.
- ♦ QEP feels that surface pipe will comply with this classification more so than buried pipe due to the amount of surface disturbance that will be required to bury it. We believe surface installation within the access corridor will minimize the disturbance so that the pipeline does not dominate the view.

**Environmental and Safety Concerns**

- ♦ Buried pipe will greatly increase surface disturbance and habitat fragmentation. The soil in this area has a poor history of successful rehabilitation. Buried pipe will have an increased corrosion rate and would need to be dug up for repairs or replacement; the constant surface disturbance will not allow time for successful reclamation.
- ♦ Increasing surface disturbance will greatly increase noxious and invasive weed infestation.

- ♦ With the increased corrosion rate, buried pipe may have undetectable leaks that could go unnoticed for months. Small leaks may turn into large plumes of underground hazards because they are not easily monitored and not seen right away. An undetected leak also increases the potential for explosive incidents. Once detected, the surface will need to be disturbed, once again, to dig up the line and replace or repair it.
- ♦ Accidents associated with pipe breaks during construction activities could increase substantially as the number of buried lines increases.
- ♦ The additional surface disturbance will increase the risk of disturbing paleontological sites.

### **Operational and Mechanical Concerns for Gas Lines**

- ♦ Cathodic protection will be required for buried pipe. Cathodic protection requires anode beds that must be maintained. This will add substantial costs in labor and material. Additional power lines will need to be installed to the anode beds. The additional costs for equipment and labor will be approximately \$50,000.00 per section.
- ♦ Pipeline markers need to be used with buried pipe. This will add costs in labor and material.
- ♦ Every tie in requires a valve. The average distance between valves is approximately ¼ mile. Valves will have to be placed in “freeze boxes” or “valve boxes”. Valve boxes will be considered confined space which increases the manpower needed to repair or replace valves. Every valve box will also require bright yellow guard rails.
- ♦ Additional equipment required for buried pipe can include blades/dozers, trenchers (cutting or blasting in hard rock), side booms, etc. which increases installation costs.
- ♦ Buried pipe must have fusion bonded epoxy (FBE) coating. FBE pipe will cost an additional \$2.00 per foot compared to bare pipe.
- ♦ This pipeline has the potential for being upgraded/upsized to a larger pipe diameter depending on production volumes. If upsizing is required, the pipe will need to be dug up which will cause additional surface disturbance and will not allow adequate time for successful reclamation.
- ♦ Surface lines are sometimes relocated to accommodate new locations; this is done in an effort to minimize the amount of pipe needed and the amount of surface disturbed. If this pipe is buried, this will no longer be an option.

**Lessee's or Operator's Representative:**

Jan Nelson  
Red Wash Rep.  
QEP Uinta Basin, Inc.  
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Vernal, Utah 84078  
(435) 781-4331

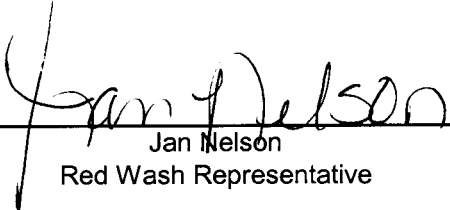
**Certification:**

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QEP Uinta Basin Inc. will be fully responsible for the actions of their subcontractors.

A complete copy of the approved Application for Permit to Drill will be furnished to the field representative(s) to ensure compliance and shall be on location during all construction and drilling operations.

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by QEP Uinta Basin, Inc. it's contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

  
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Jan Nelson  
Red Wash Representative

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03-Apr-06  
Date

# QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.

GB #8ML-17-8-22

LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
SECTION 17, T8S, R22E, S.L.B.&M.

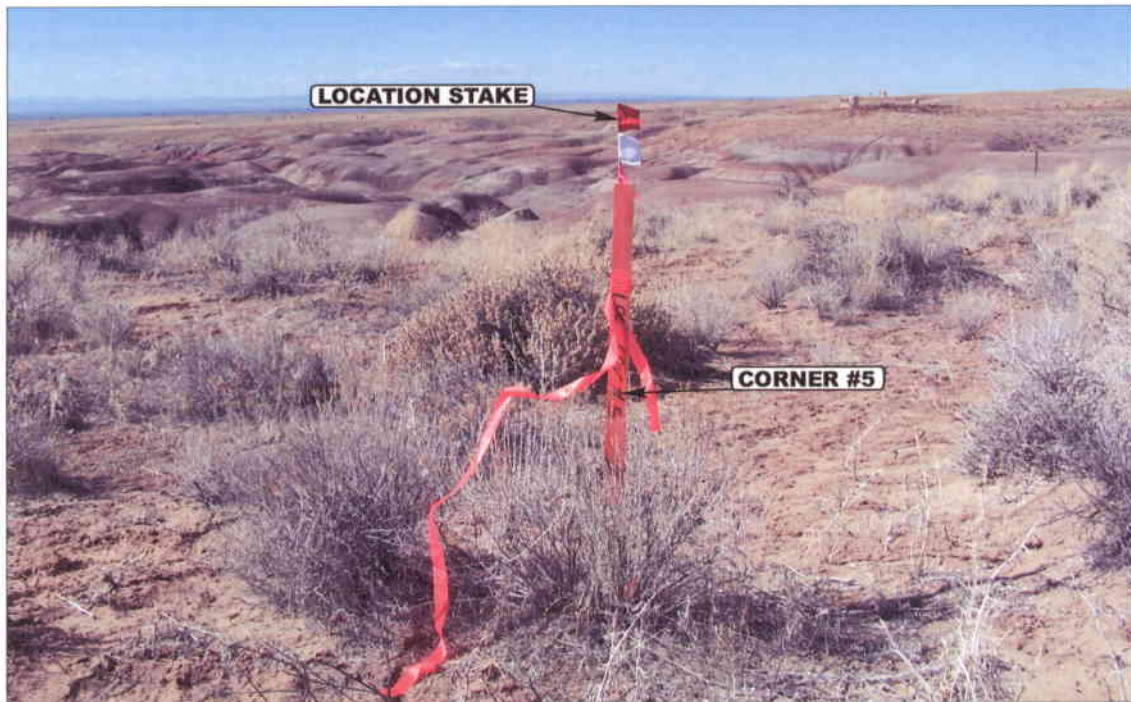


PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE

CAMERA ANGLE: SOUTHWESTERLY



PHOTO: VIEW FROM BEGINNING OF PROPOSED ACCESS

CAMERA ANGLE: WESTERLY



**UELS**

Uintah Engineering & Land Surveying

85 South 200 East Vernal, Utah 84078  
435-789-1017 uels@uelsinc.com

LOCATION PHOTOS

03 09 06  
MONTH DAY YEAR

PHOTO

TAKEN BY: D.A.

DRAWN BY: C.P.

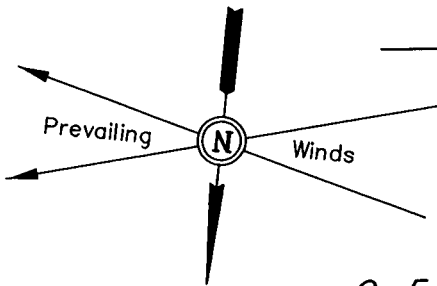
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# QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.

FIGURE #1

## LOCATION LAYOUT FOR

GB #8ML-17-8-22  
SECTION 17, T8S, R22E, S.L.B.&M.  
1850' FNL 462' FEL

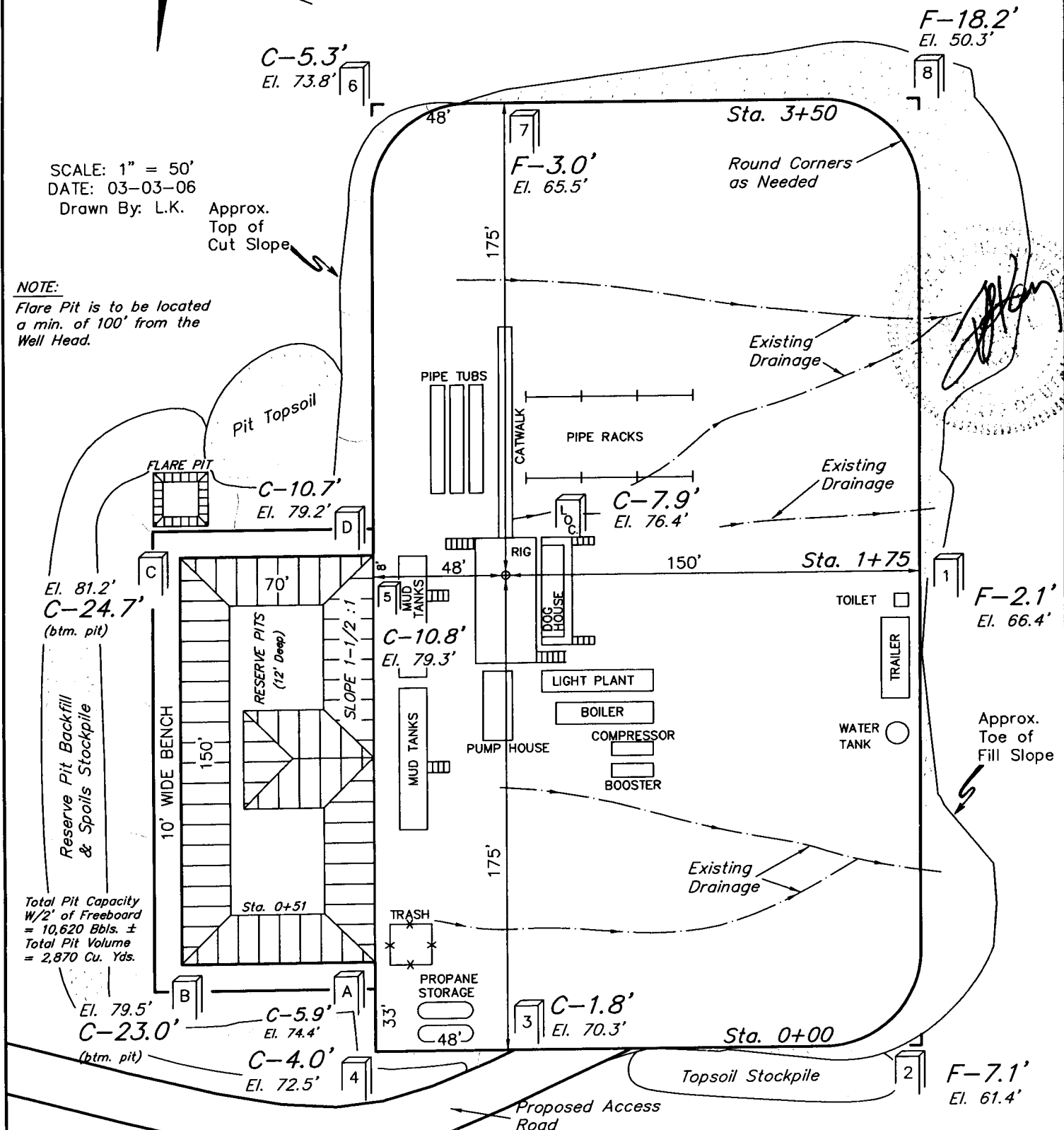


SCALE: 1" = 50'  
DATE: 03-03-06  
Drawn By: L.K.

Approx.  
Top of  
Cut Slope

### NOTE:

Flare Pit is to be located  
a min. of 100' from the  
Well Head.



### NOTES:

Elev. Ungraded Ground At Loc. Stake = 4976.4'  
FINISHED GRADE ELEV. AT LOC. STAKE = 4968.5'

UINTAH ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING  
85 So. 200 East \* Vernal, Utah 84078 \* (435) 789-1017

# QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.

FIGURE #2

## TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS FOR

GB #8ML-17-8-22

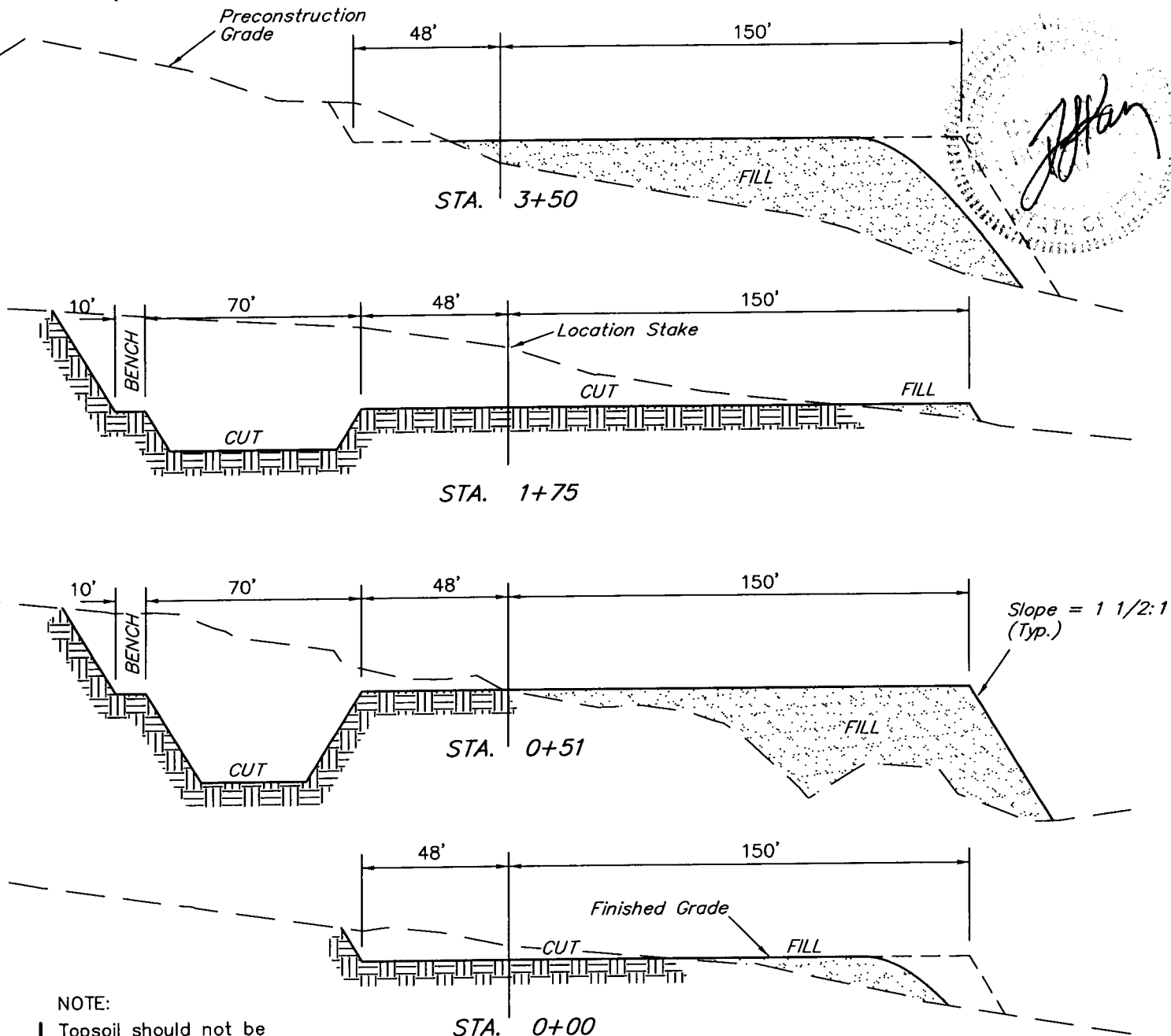
SECTION 17, T8S, R22E, S.L.B.&M.

1850' FNL 462' FEL

1" = 20'  
X-Section  
Scale  
1" = 50'

DATE: 03-03-06

Drawn By: L.K.



### NOTE:

Topsoil should not be Stripped Below Finished Grade on Substructure Area.

### APPROXIMATE YARDAGES

<b>CUT</b>	
(6") Topsoil Stripping	= 1,940 Cu. Yds.
Remaining Location	= 13,420 Cu. Yds.
<b>TOTAL CUT</b>	<b>= 15,360 CU.YDS.</b>
<b>FILL</b>	<b>= 11,980 CU.YDS.</b>

### \* NOTE:

FILL QUANTITY INCLUDES 5% FOR COMPACTION

Excess Material = 3,380 Cu. Yds.

Topsoil & Pit Backfill (1/2 Pit Vol.) = 3,380 Cu. Yds.

EXCESS UNBALANCE (After Rehabilitation) = 0 Cu. Yds.

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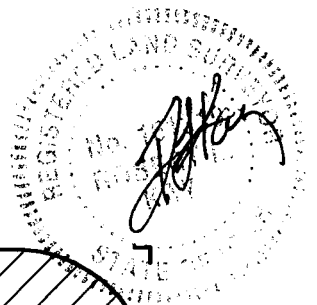
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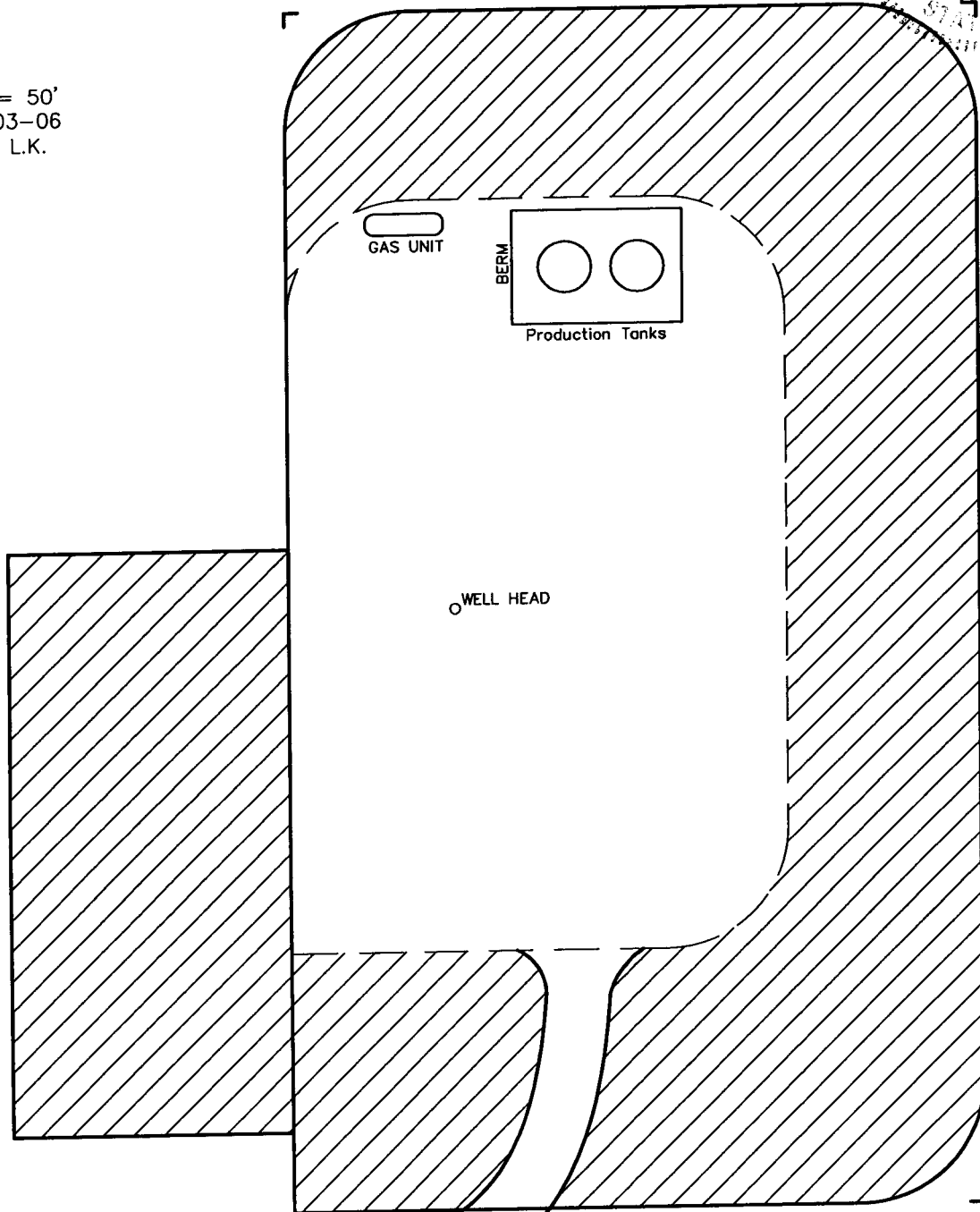
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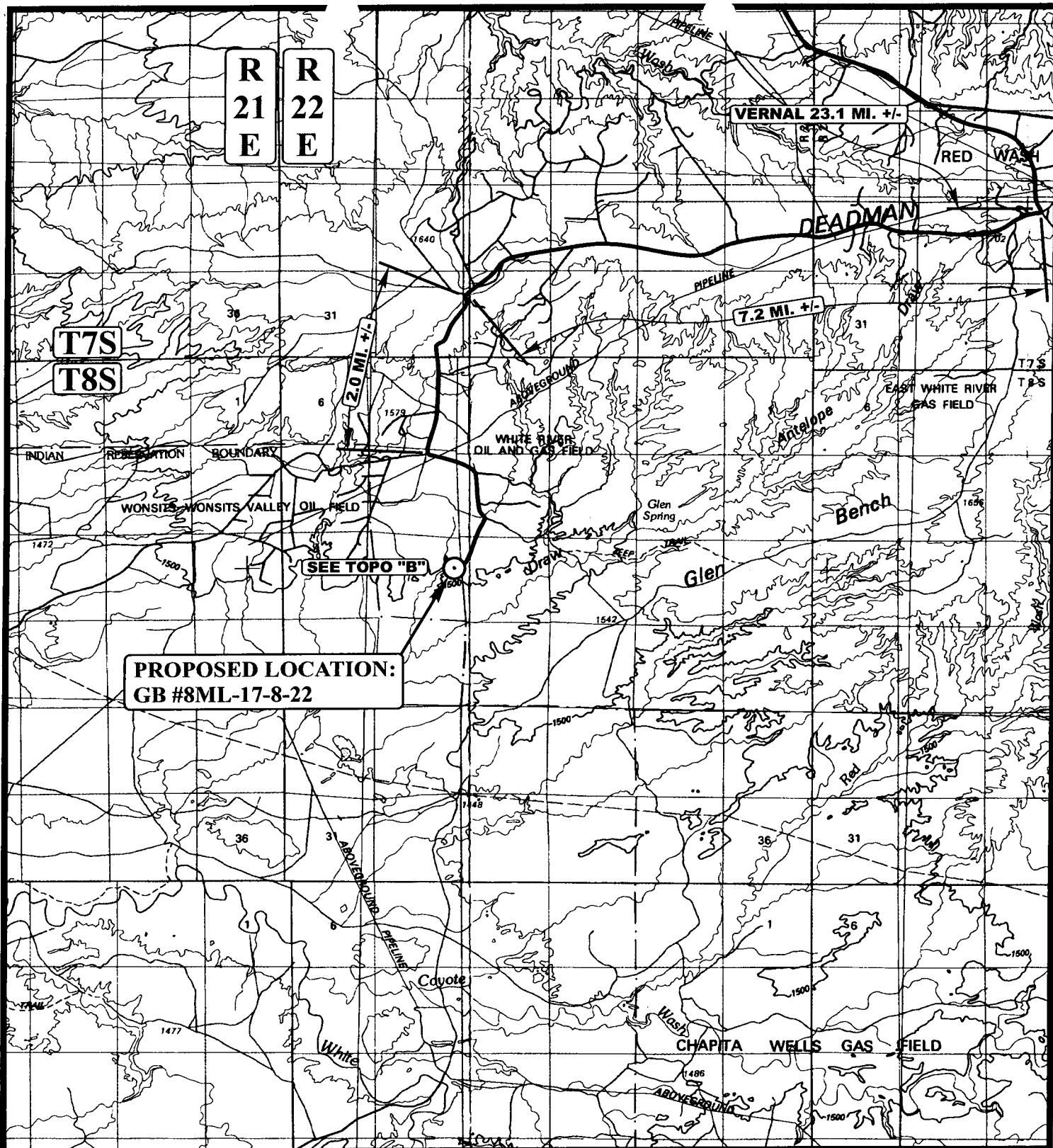
FIGURE #3



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 INTERIM RECLAMATION



# **LEGEND:**

⊙ PROPOSED LOCATION

## **QUESTAR EXPLR. & PROD.**

GB #8ML-17-8-22

SECTION 17, T8S, R22E, S.L.B.&M.

1850' FNL 462' FEL



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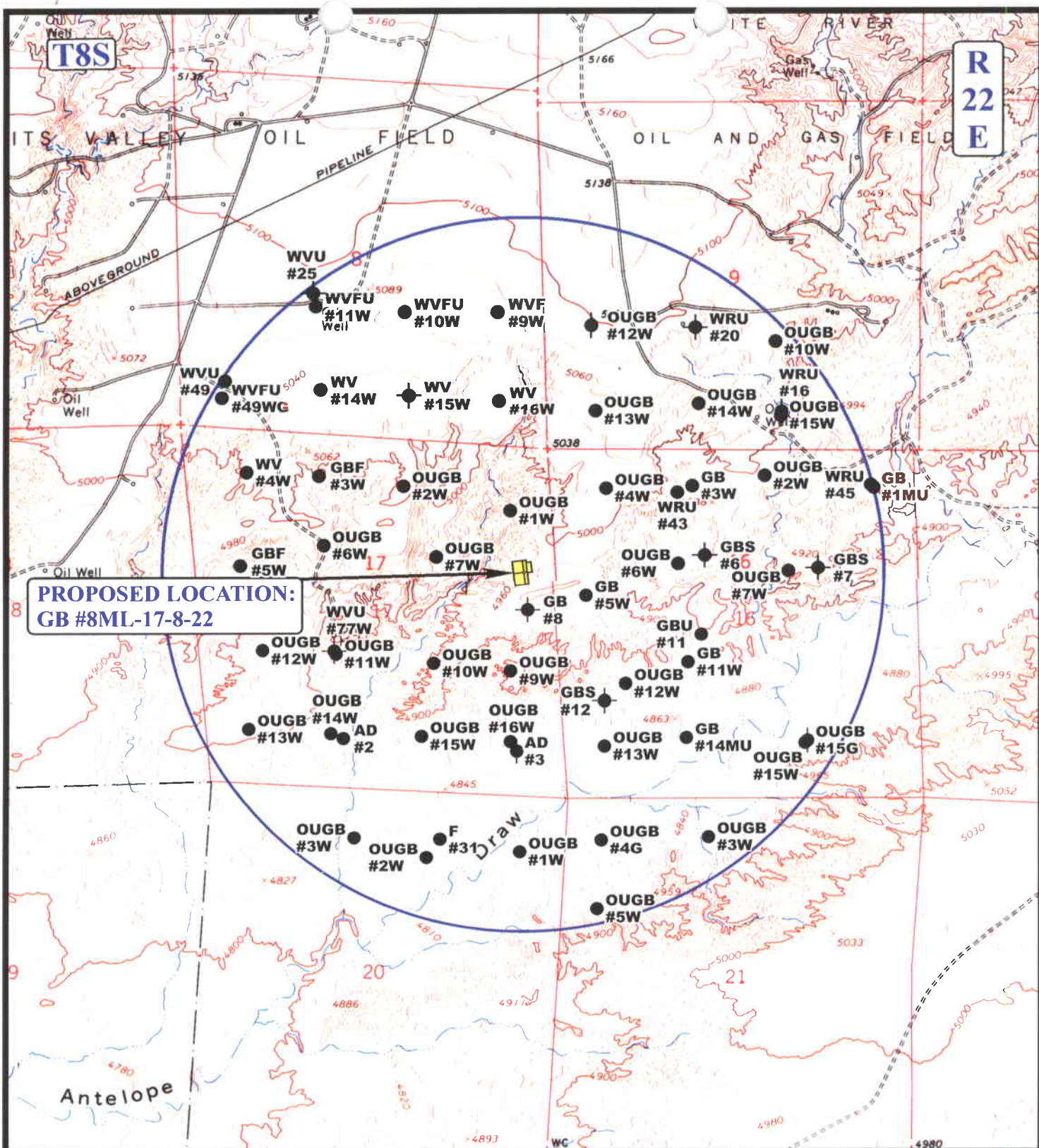
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### LEGEND:

- |                   |                         |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| ○ DISPOSAL WELLS  | ● WATER WELLS           |
| ● PRODUCING WELLS | ● ABANDONED WELLS       |
| ● SHUT IN WELLS   | ● TEMPORARILY ABANDONED |

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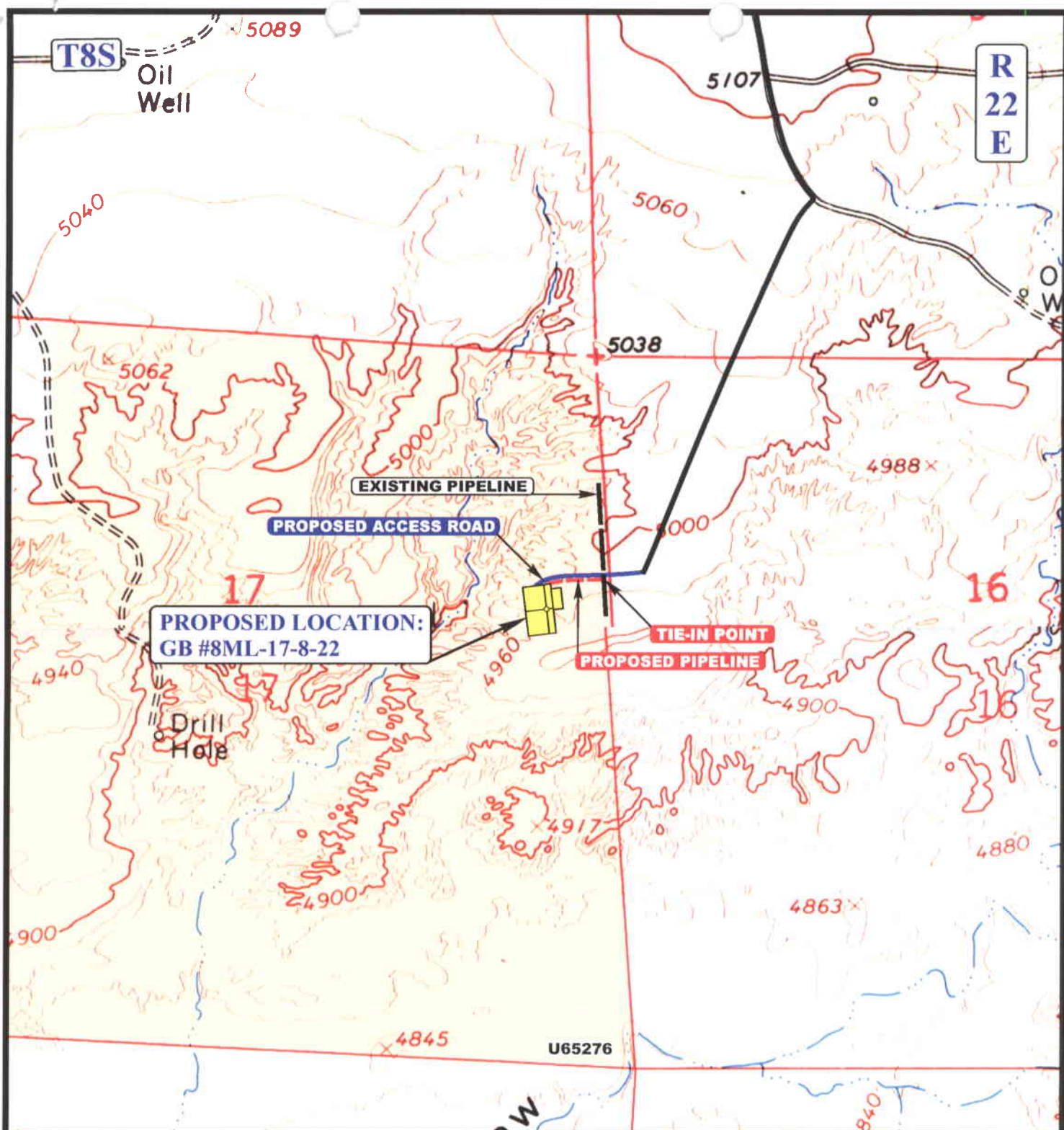
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**APPROXIMATE TOTAL PIPELINE DISTANCE = 435' +/-**

**LEGEND:**

- PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
- EXISTING PIPELINE
- - - - - PROPOSED PIPELINE

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**MAP**

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**WORKSHEET**  
**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL**

APD RECEIVED: 04/10/2006

API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-37995

WELL NAME: GB 8ML-17-8-22

OPERATOR: QEP UINTA BASIN, INC. ( N2460 )

CONTACT: JAN NELSON

PHONE NUMBER: 435-781-4331

PROPOSED LOCATION:

SENE 17 080S 220E

SURFACE: 1850 FNL 0462 FEL

BOTTOM: 1850 FNL 0462 FEL

COUNTY: UINTAH

LATITUDE: 40.12543 LONGITUDE: -109.4555

UTM SURF EASTINGS: 631605 NORTHINGS: 4442612

FIELD NAME: WONSITS VALLEY ( 710 )

INSPECT LOCATN BY: / /

**Tech Review**

**Initials**

**Date**

Engineering

Geology

Surface

LEASE TYPE: 1 - Federal

LEASE NUMBER: UTU-65276

SURFACE OWNER: 1 - Federal

PROPOSED FORMATION: MVRD

COALBED METHANE WELL? NO

RECEIVED AND/OR REVIEWED:

☒ Plat

☒ Bond: Fed[1] Ind[] Sta[] Fee[]  
(No. ESB000024 )

☒ Potash (Y/N)

☒ Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13

☒ Water Permit  
(No. 43-8496 )

☒ RDCC Review (Y/N)  
(Date: )

☒ Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)

☒ Intent to Commingle (Y/N)

LOCATION AND SITING:

\_\_\_ R649-2-3.

Unit: GLEN BENCH ENH REC

☒ R649-3-2. General

Siting: 460 From Qtr/Qtr & 920' Between Wells

\_\_\_ R649-3-3. Exception

\_\_\_ Drilling Unit

Board Cause No: \_\_\_\_\_

Eff Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Siting: \_\_\_\_\_

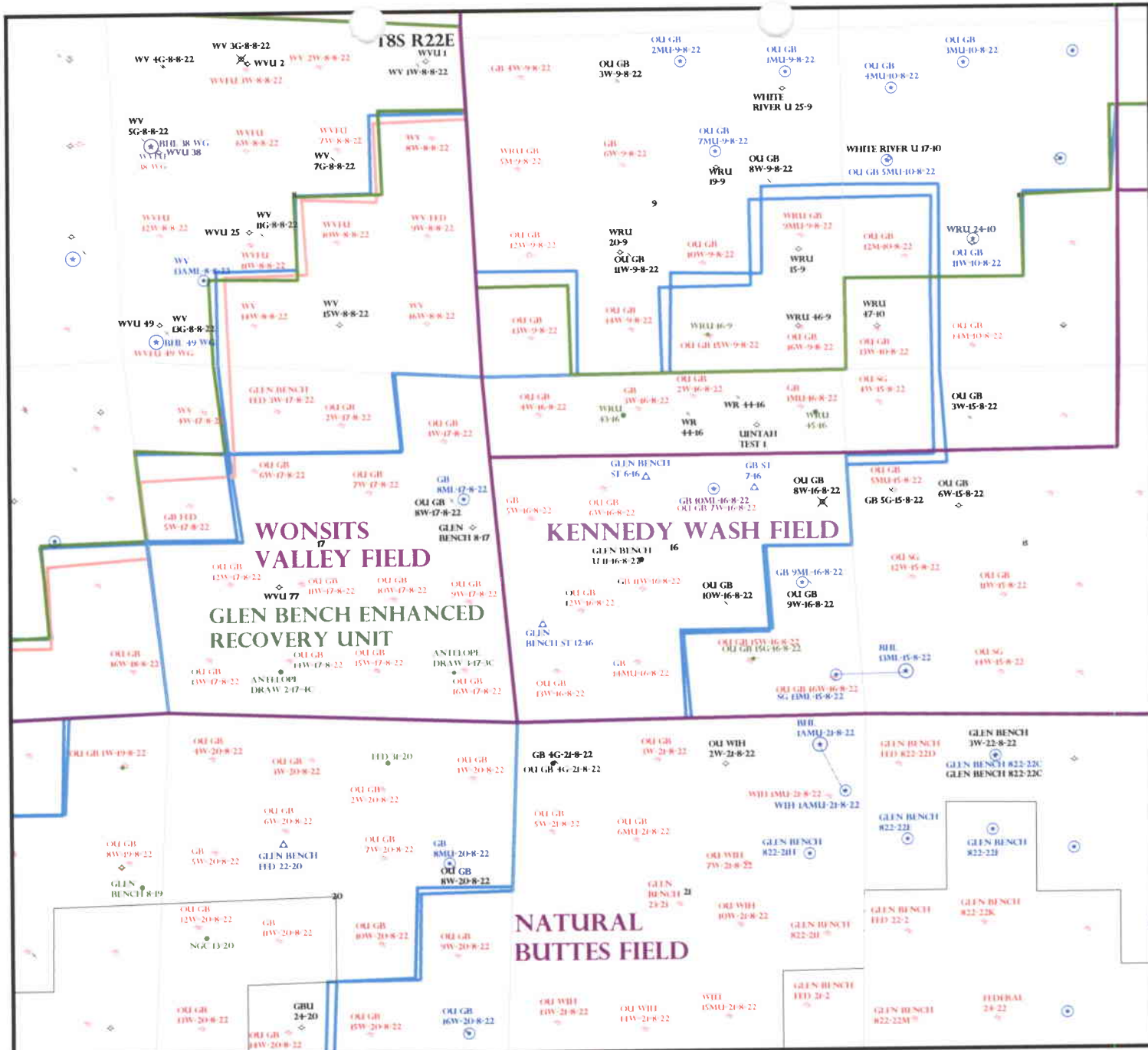
\_\_\_ R649-3-11. Directional Drill

COMMENTS:

*Sep. Separate file*

STIPULATIONS:

*1. Federal Approval  
2. Spacing Stip*



OPERATOR: QEP UINTA BASIN INC (N2460)

SEC: 17 T. 8S R. 22E

FIELD: WONSITS VALLEY (710)

COUNTY: UINTAH

SPACING: R649-3-2 / GENERAL SITING

**Field Status**

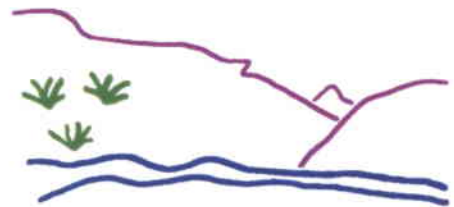
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- PROPOSED
- STORAGE
- TERMINATED

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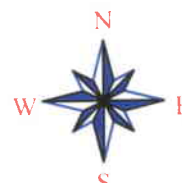
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- NF PP OIL
- NF SECONDARY
- PENDING
- PI OIL
- PP GAS
- PP GEOTHERML
- PP OIL
- SECONDARY
- TERMINATED

#### Wells Status

- GAS INJECTION
- GAS STORAGE
- LOCATION ABANDONED
- NEW LOCATION
- PLUGGED & ABANDONED
- PRODUCING GAS
- PRODUCING OIL
- SHUT-IN GAS
- SHUT-IN OIL
- TEMP. ABANDONED
- TEST WELL
- WATER INJECTION
- WATER SUPPLY
- WATER DISPOSAL
- DRILLING



Utah Oil Gas and Mining



PREPARED BY: DIANA WHITNEY  
DATE: 14-APRIL-2006



## State of Utah

### Department of Natural Resources

MICHAEL R. STYLER  
*Executive Director*

### Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

JOHN R. BAZA  
*Division Director*

JON M. HUNTSMAN, JR.  
*Governor*

GARY R. HERBERT  
*Lieutenant Governor*

April 17, 2006

QEP Uinta Basin, Inc.  
11002 E 17500 S  
Vernal, UT 84078

Re: Glen Bench 8ML-17-8-22 Well, 1850' FNL, 462' FEL, SE NE, Sec. 17,  
T. 8 South, R. 22 East, Uintah County, Utah

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann. § 40-6-1 *et seq.*, Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 *et seq.*, and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-047-37995.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gil Hunt".

Gil Hunt  
Associate Director

pab  
Enclosures

cc: Uintah County Assessor  
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal District Office

**Operator:** QEP Uinta Basin, Inc.  
**Well Name & Number** Glen Bench 8ML-17-8-22  
**API Number:** 43-047-37995  
**Lease:** UTU-65276

**Location:** SE NE                      **Sec.** 17                      **T.** 8 South                      **R.** 22 East

### **Conditions of Approval**

1. General

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

2. Notification Requirements

Notify the Division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

- Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

- Contact Dan Jarvis at (801) 538-5338

3. Reporting Requirements

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.

5. This proposed well is located in an area for which drilling units (well spacing patterns) have not been established through an order of the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Board"). In order to avoid the possibility of waste or injury to correlative rights, the operator is requested, once the well has been drilled, completed, and has produced, to analyze geological and engineering data generated therefrom, as well as any similar data from surrounding areas if available. As soon as is practicable after completion of its analysis, and if the analysis suggests an area larger than the quarter-quarter section upon which the well is located is being drained, the operator is requested to seek an appropriate order from the Board establishing drilling and spacing units in conformance with such analysis by filing a Request for Agency Action with the Board.

**CONFIDENTIAL**

**RECEIVED**

FORM APPROVED

OMB NO. 1040-0136  
Expires: February 28, 1995

**UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE\*

APR 05 2006

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO.

UTU-65276

6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME

N/A

7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME

N/A

8. FARM OR LEASE NAME, WELL NO.

GB 8ML-17-8-22

9. API NUMBER:

43-147-3799.5

10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT  
NATURAL BUTTES

11. SEC., T, R, M, OR BLK & SURVEY OR AREA

SEC. 17, T8S, R22E Mer SLB

12. COUNTY OR PARISH

Uintah

13. STATE

UT

17. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED TO THIS WELL

40

20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file  
ESB000024

23. Estimated duration

15 days

TYPE OF WORK

DRILL ☒

DEEPEN ☐

TYPE OF WELL

☐

☒

☐

SINGLE  
ZONE

☒

MULTIPLE  
ZONE

OIL WELL

GAS WELL

OTHER

2. NAME OF OPERATOR

QEP UINTA BASIN, INC.

Contact: Jan Nelson

E-Mail: jan.nelson@questar.com

3. ADDRESS

11002 E. 17500 S. Vernal, Ut 84078

Telephone number

Phone 435-781-4331 Fax 435-781-4323

4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with and State requirements\*)

At Surface 1850' FNL 462' FEL SENE, SECTION 17, T8S, R22E

At proposed production zone SAME

14. DISTANCE IN MILES FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POSTOFFICE\*

25 +/- SOUTHEAST OF VERNAL, UTAH

15. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION TO NEAREST  
PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT.  
(also to nearest drig, unit line if any)

462' +/-

16. NO. OF ACRES IN LEASE

480.00

18. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED location to nearest well, drilling,  
completed, applied for, on this lease, ft

2000' +/-

19. PROPOSED DEPTH

11325'

21. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, ect.)

4968.5' GR

22. DATE WORK WILL START

ASAP

24. Attachments

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

- Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
- A Drilling Plan
- A surface Use Plan (if location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).
- Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).
- Operator certification.
- Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer.

SIGNED

*Jan Nelson*

Name (printed/typed) Jan Nelson

DATE 4-3-06

TITLE

Regulatory Affairs

**RECEIVED**

NOV 07 2006

PERMIT NO.

APPROVAL DATE

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

APPROVED BY

*[Signature]*

TITLE

Assistant Field Manager  
Lands & Mineral Resources

DATE 10-27-2006

Title 18 U.S.C Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the

United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction

**NOTICE OF APPROVAL**

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ATTACHED**



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
VERNAL FIELD OFFICE

170 South 500 East

VERNAL, UT 84078

(435) 781-4400



**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL FOR APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL**

**Company:** QEP Uinta Basin, Inc.  
**Well No:** GB 8ML-17-8-22  
**API No:** 43-047-37995

**Location:** SENE, Sec 17, T8S, R22E  
**Lease No:** UTU-65276  
**Agreement:** N/A

Petroleum Engineer:	Matt Baker	Office: 435-781-4490	Cell: 435-828-4470
Petroleum Engineer:	Michael Lee	Office: 435-781-4432	Cell: 435-828-7875
Supervisory Petroleum Technician:	Jamie Sparger	Office: 435-781-4502	Cell: 435-828-3913
Environmental Scientist:	Paul Buhler	Office: 435-781-4475	Cell: 435-828-4029
Environmental Scientist:	Karl Wright	Office: 435-781-4484	
Natural Resource Specialist:	Holly Villa	Office: 435-781-4404	
Natural Resource Specialist:	Melissa Hawk	Office: 435-781-4476	
Natural Resource Specialist:	Charles Sharp	Office: 435-781-4486	
Natural Resource Specialist:	Scott Ackerman	Office: 435-781-4437	
<b>After Hours Contact Number:</b>	<b>435-781-4513</b>	<b>Fax:</b> 435-781-4410	

**A COPY OF THESE CONDITIONS SHALL BE FURNISHED TO YOUR  
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE TO INSURE COMPLIANCE**

All lease and/or unit operations are to be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with the applicable laws, regulations (43 CFR Part 3160), and this approved Application for Permit to Drill including Surface and Downhole Conditions of Approval. The operator is considered fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of the approved APD must be on location during construction, drilling, and completion operations. **This permit is approved for a one-year period. An additional year extension may be applied for by sundry notice prior to expiration.**

**NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| Location Construction<br>(Notify Paul Buhler)           | - Forty-Eight (48) hours prior to construction of location and access roads.  |
| Location Completion<br>(Notify Paul Buhler)             | - Prior to moving on the drilling rig.  |
| Spud Notice<br>(Notify Petroleum Engineer)              | - Twenty-Four (24) hours prior to spudding the well.  |
| Casing String & Cementing<br>(Notify Jamie Sparger)     | - Twenty-Four (24) hours prior to running casing and cementing all casing strings   |
| BOP & Related Equipment Tests<br>(Notify Jamie Sparger) | - Twenty-Four (24) hours prior to initiating pressure tests   |
| First Production Notice<br>(Notify Petroleum Engineer)  | - Within Five (5) business days after new well begins or production resumes after well has been off production for more than ninety (90) days |

***SURFACE USE PROGRAM  
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (COAs)***

Conditions for Approval are in the APD or SOP

- The buried pipeline exception request has been received. It has been determined that the pipeline route has bedrock exposed at the surface. The exception is granted for a surface pipeline.
- If paleontological materials are uncovered during construction, the operator is to immediately stop work, and contact the Authorized Officer (AO). A report will be prepared by the Paleontologist and submitted to the BLM at the completion of surface disturbing activities.

## ***DOWNHOLE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL***

**All provisions outlined in Onshore Oil & Gas Order #2 Drilling Operations shall be strictly adhered to.** The following items are emphasized:

### **SITE SPECIFIC DOWNHOLE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

- Oil shall not be used in the water based mud system without prior approval. Written request for approval shall be required.
- Production casing cement top shall be at a minimum of 200' above the surface casing shoe.
- A CBL shall be run from TD to the surface casing shoe and a field copy shall be submitted to the BLM Vernal Field Office.

### **DRILLING/COMPLETION/PRODUCING OPERATING STANDARDS**

- There shall be no deviation from the proposed drilling, completion, and/or workover program as approved. Safe drilling and operating practices must be observed. All wells, whether drilling, producing, suspended, or abandoned, shall be identified in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.6. There shall be a sign or marker with the name of the operator, lease serial number, well number, and surveyed description of the well. Any changes in operation must have prior approval from the BLM, Vernal Field Office Petroleum Engineers.
- The spud date and time shall be reported orally to Vernal Field Office within 24 hours of spudding.
- **Notify Vernal Field Office Supervisory Petroleum Engineering Technician at least 24 hours in advance of casing cementing operations and BOPE & casing pressure tests.**
- Blowout prevention equipment (BOPE) shall remain in use until the well is completed or abandoned. Closing unit controls shall remain unobstructed and readily accessible at all times. Choke manifolds shall be located outside of the rig substructure.
- All BOPE components shall be inspected daily and those inspections shall be recorded in the daily drilling report. Components shall be operated and tested as required by Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 2 to insure good mechanical working order. All BOPE pressure tests shall be performed by a test pump with a chart recorder and **NOT** by the rig pumps. Test shall be reported in the driller's log.
- BOP drills shall be initially conducted by each drilling crew within 24 hours of drilling out from under the surface casing and weekly thereafter as specified in Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 2.
- Casing pressure tests are required before drilling out from under all casing strings set and cemented in place.
- No aggressive/fresh hard-banded drill pipe shall be used within casing.

- The lessee/operator must report all shows of water or water-bearing sands to the BLM. If flowing water is encountered it must be sampled and analyzed (a copy of the analyses to be submitted to the BLM Field Office in Vernal, Utah).
- All oil and gas shows shall be adequately tested for commercial possibilities, reported, and protected.
- The lessee/operator must report encounters of all non oil & gas mineral resources (such as Gilsonite, tar sands, oil shale, etc.) to Peter Sokolosky or another geologist of the Vernal Field Office, in writing, within 5 working days of each encounter. Each report shall include the well name/number, well location, date and depth (from KB or GL) of encounter, vertical footage of the encounter and, the name of the person making the report (along with a telephone number) should the BLM need to obtain additional information.
- All shows of fresh water and minerals shall be reported and protected. A sample shall be taken of any water flows and a water analysis furnished the BLM, Vernal Field Office. All oil and gas shows shall be adequately tested for commercial possibilities, reported, and protected.
- No location shall be constructed or moved, no well shall be plugged, and no drilling or workover equipment shall be removed from a well to be placed in a suspended status without prior approval of the BLM, Vernal Field Office. If operations are to be suspended for more than 30 days, prior approval of the BLM, Vernal Field Office shall be obtained and notification given before resumption of operations.
- Chronologic drilling progress reports shall be filed directly with the BLM, Vernal Field Office on a weekly basis in sundry, letter format or e-mail to the Petroleum Engineers until the well is completed.
- Any change in the program shall be approved by the BLM, Vernal Field Office. "Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells" (Form BLM 3160-5) shall be filed for all changes of plans and other operations in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.3-2.
- Emergency approval may be obtained orally, but such approval does not waive the written report requirement. Any additional construction, reconstruction, or alterations of facilities, including roads, gathering lines, batteries, etc., which will result in the disturbance of new ground, shall require the filing of a suitable plan pursuant to Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 1 of 43 CFR 3164.1 and prior approval by the BLM, Vernal Field Office.
- In accordance with 43 CFR 3162.4-3, this well shall be reported on the "Monthly Report of Operations" (Oil and Gas Operations Report ((OGOR)) starting with the month in which operations commence and continue each month until the well is physically plugged and abandoned. This report shall be filed in duplicate, directly with the Minerals Management Service, P.O. Box 17110, Denver, Colorado 80217-0110, or call 1-800-525-7922 (303) 231-3650 for reporting information.
- Whether the well is completed as a dry hole or as a producer, "Well Completion and Recompletion Report and Log" (BLM Form 3160-4) shall be submitted not later than 30 days after completion of the well or after completion of operations being performed, in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.4-1. Two copies of all logs run, core descriptions, and all other surveys or

data obtained and compiled during the drilling, workover, and/or completion operations, shall be filed on BLM Form 3160-4. Submit with the well completion report a geologic report including, at a minimum, formation tops, and a summary and conclusions. Also include deviation surveys, sample descriptions, strip logs, core data, drill stem test data, and results of production tests if performed. Samples (cuttings, fluid, and/or gas) shall be submitted only when requested by the BLM, Vernal Field Office.

- A cement bond log (CBL) will be run from the production casing shoe to the surface casing shoe and shall be utilized to determine the bond quality for the production casing. Submit a field copy of the CBL to this office.
- **Please submit an electronic copy of all other logs run on this well in LAS format to UT\_VN\_Welllogs@BLM.gov. This submission will supersede the requirement for submittal of paper logs to the BLM.**
- All off-lease storage, off-lease measurement, or commingling on-lease or off-lease shall have prior written approval from the BLM, Vernal Field Office.
- All measurement points shall be identified as point of sales or allocation for royalty determination prior to the installation of facilities.
- Oil and gas meters shall be calibrated in place prior to any deliveries. The Field Office Petroleum Engineers will be provided with a date and time for the initial meter calibration and all future meter proving schedules. A copy of the meter calibration reports shall be submitted to the BLM, Vernal Field Office. All measurement facilities will conform to the API standards for liquid hydrocarbons and the AGA standards for natural gas measurement.
- A schematic facilities diagram as required by Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 3 shall be submitted to the BLM, Vernal Field Office within 30 days of installation or first production, whichever occurs first. All site security regulations as specified in Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 3 shall be adhered to. All product lines entering and leaving hydrocarbon storage tanks will be effectively sealed in accordance with Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 3.
- This APD is approved subject to the requirement that, should the well be successfully completed for production, the BLM, Vernal Field office must be notified when it is placed in a producing status. Such notification will be by written communication and must be received in this office by not later than the fifth business day following the date on which the well is placed on production. The notification shall provide, as a minimum, the following informational items:
  - Operator name, address, and telephone number.
  - Well name and number.
  - Well location (¼¼, Sec., Twn, Rng, and P.M.).
  - Date well was placed in a producing status (date of first production for which royalty will be paid).
  - The nature of the well's production, (i.e., crude oil, or crude oil and casing head gas, or natural gas and entrained liquid hydrocarbons).
  - The Federal or Indian lease prefix and number on which the well is located; otherwise the non-Federal or non-Indian land category, i.e., State or private.
  - Unit agreement and / or participating area name and number, if applicable.

- Communitization agreement number, if applicable.
- Any venting or flaring of gas shall be done in accordance with Notice to Lessees (NTL) 4A and needs prior approval from Field Office Petroleum Engineers.
- All undesirable events (fires, accidents, blowouts, spills, discharges) as specified in NTL 3A will be reported to the BLM, Vernal Field Office. Major events as defined in NTL3A, shall be reported verbally within 24 hours, followed by a written report within 15 days. "Other than Major Events" will be reported in writing within 15 days. "Minor Events" will be reported on the Monthly Report of Operations and Production.
- Pursuant to Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 7, this is authorization for pit disposal of water produced from this well for a period of 90 days from the date of initial production. A permanent disposal method must be approved by this office and in operation prior to the end of this 90-day period. In order to meet this deadline, an application for the proposed permanent disposal method shall be submitted along with any necessary water analyses, as soon as possible, but no later than 45 days after the date of first production. Any method of disposal which has not been approved prior to the end of the authorized 90-day period will be considered as an Incident of Noncompliance and will be grounds for issuing a shut-in order until an acceptable manner for disposing of said water is provided and approved by this office.
- Unless the plugging is to take place immediately upon receipt of oral approval, the Field Office Petroleum Engineers must be notified at least 24 hours in advance of the plugging of the well, in order that a representative may witness plugging operations. If a well is suspended or abandoned, all pits must be fenced immediately until they are backfilled. The "Subsequent Report of Abandonment" (Form BLM 3160-5) must be submitted within 30 days after the actual plugging of the well bore, showing location of plugs, amount of cement in each, and amount of casing left in hole, and the current status of the surface restoration.

**Division of Oil, Gas and Mining**  
**OPERATOR CHANGE WORKSHEET**

**ROUTING**

1. DJJ
2. CDW

Change of Operator (Well Sold)

**X - Operator Name Change/Merger**

The operator of the well(s) listed below has changed, effective:

**1/1/2007**

**FROM: (Old Operator):**

N2460-QEP Uinta Basin, Inc.  
 1050 17th St, Suite 500  
 Denver, CO 80265

Phone: 1 (303) 672-6900

**TO: ( New Operator):**

N5085-Questar E&P Company  
 1050 17th St, Suite 500  
 Denver, CO 80265

Phone: 1 (303) 672-6900

CA No.				Unit:		GLEN BENCH UNIT		
WELL NAME	SEC TWN RNG			API NO	ENTITY NO	LEASE TYPE	WELL TYPE	WELL STATUS
SEE ATTACHED LISTS				*				

**OPERATOR CHANGES DOCUMENTATION**

Enter date after each listed item is completed

- (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the **FORMER** operator on: 4/19/2007
- (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the **NEW** operator on: 4/16/2007
- The new company was checked on the **Department of Commerce, Division of Corporations Database** on: 1/31/2005
- Is the new operator registered in the State of Utah: Business Number: 764611-0143
- (R649-9-2) Waste Management Plan has been received on: IN PLACE
- Inspections of LA PA state/fee well sites complete on: n/a
- Reports current for Production/Disposition & Sundries on: n/a
- Federal and Indian Lease Wells:** The BLM and or the BIA has approved the merger, name change, or operator change for all wells listed on Federal or Indian leases on: BLM 4/23/2007 BIA
- Federal and Indian Units:**  
The BLM or BIA has approved the successor of unit operator for wells listed on: 4/23/2007
- Federal and Indian Communization Agreements ("CA"):**  
The BLM or BIA has approved the operator for all wells listed within a CA on: \_\_\_\_\_
- Underground Injection Control ("UIC")** The Division has approved UIC Form 5, **Transfer of Authority to Inject**, for the enhanced/secondary recovery unit/project for the water disposal well(s) listed on: \_\_\_\_\_

**DATA ENTRY:**

- Changes entered in the **Oil and Gas Database** on: 4/30/2007 and 5/15/2007
- Changes have been entered on the **Monthly Operator Change Spread Sheet** on: 4/30/2007 and 5/15/2007
- Bond information entered in RBDMS on: 4/30/2007 and 5/15/2007
- Fee/State wells attached to bond in RBDMS on: 4/30/2007 and 5/15/2007
- Injection Projects to new operator in RBDMS on: 4/30/2007 and 5/15/2007
- Receipt of Acceptance of Drilling Procedures for APD/New on: n/a

**BOND VERIFICATION:**

- Federal well(s) covered by Bond Number: ESB000024
- Indian well(s) covered by Bond Number: 799446
- (R649-3-1) The **NEW** operator of any state/fee well(s) listed covered by Bond Number 965003033
- The **FORMER** operator has requested a release of liability from their bond on: n/a

**LEASE INTEREST OWNER NOTIFICATION:**

- (R649-2-10) The **NEW** operator of the fee wells has been contacted and informed by a letter from the Division of their responsibility to notify all interest owners of this change on: n/a

**COMMENTS: THIS IS A COMPANY NAME CHANGE.**

**SOME WELL NAMES HAVE BEEN CHANGED AS REQUESTED**

QEP Uinta Basin (N2460) to QUESTAR E and P (N5085)  
 GLEN BENCH (ENHANCED RECOVERY) UNIT

4/30/2007 and 5/15/2007

Original Well Name	Well Name & No.	Q/Q	SEC	TWP	RNG	API	Entity	Lease	Well Type	Status
GB 8D-20-8-22	GB 8D-20-8-22	SENE	20	080S	220E	4304737665	15977	Federal	GW	DRL
WHITE RIVER U 16-9	WR 16-9	SWSE	09	080S	220E	4304715081	4915	Federal	OW	S
GLEN BENCH 31-30	GLEN BENCH 31-30	NWNE	30	080S	220E	4304731008	13727	Federal	OW	P
NGC 13-20	GB 13-20	NWSW	20	080S	220E	4304731355	13727	Federal	OW	P
GLEN BENCH FED 22-20	GB 22-20	SENW	20	080S	220E	4304731356	13727	Federal	WI	A
FED 31-20	GB 31-20	NWNE	20	080S	220E	4304731433	13727	Federal	OW	P
ANTELOPE DRAW 2-17-4C	GB 2-17	SESW	17	080S	220E	4304731555	13727	Federal	OW	P
ANTELOPE DRAW 3-17-3C	GB 3-17	SESE	17	080S	220E	4304731556	13727	Federal	OW	S
GLEN BENCH 8-19	GB 8-19	SENE	19	080S	220E	4304732476	13727	Federal	OW	P
GLEN BENCH 4-30-8-22	GB 4-30-8-22	NWNW	30	080S	220E	4304732755	13727	Federal	OW	S
GLEN BENCH U 15-19-8-22	GB 15-19-8-22	SWSE	19	080S	220E	4304732756	13727	Federal	WI	A
OU GB 1G-19-8-22	OU GB 1G-19-8-22	NENE	19	080S	220E	4304734696	13727	Federal	OW	S
OU GB 2W-30-8-22	GB 2ML-30-8-22	NWNE	30	080S	220E	4304735080	14816	Federal	GW	P
GB 8ML-17-8-22	GB 8ML-17-8-22	SENE	17	080S	220E	4304737995		Federal	GW	APD
WHITE RIVER U 43-16	WR 43-16	NENW	16	080S	220E	4304731354	5170	State	OW	S
WHITE RIVER U 45-16	GB 45-16	NENE	16	080S	220E	4304731399	13727	State	OW	P
GLEN BENCH ST 6-16	GB 6-16	SENW	16	080S	220E	4304732549	13727	State	WI	A
GLEN BENCH ST 7-16	GB 7-16	SWNE	16	080S	220E	4304732582	13727	State	WI	A
GLEN BENCH ST 12-16	GB 12-16	NWSW	16	080S	220E	4304732583	13727	State	WI	A
GLEN BENCH U 11-16-8-22	GB 11-16-8-22	NESW	16	080S	220E	4304732857	13727	State	OW	P
GB 1MU-16-8-22	GB 1MU-16-8-22	NENE	16	080S	220E	4304734656	14251	State	GW	P
OU GB 7W-16-8-22	OU GB 7W-16-8-22	SWNE	16	080S	220E	4304734659	13747	State	GW	P

STATE OF UTAH  
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FORM 9

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

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1. TYPE OF WELL OIL WELL <input type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____	5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER: see attached
2. NAME OF OPERATOR: QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY	6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME: see attached
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 1050 17th Street Suite 500 CITY Denver STATE CO ZIP 80265	7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME: see attached
4. LOCATION OF WELL FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: attached	8. WELL NAME and NUMBER: see attached
PHONE NUMBER: (303) 308-3068	9. API NUMBER: attached
	10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT:

FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: attached

COUNTY: Uintah

QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN:

STATE: UTAH

11. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOTICE OF INTENT (Submit in Duplicate) Approximate date work will start: 1/1/2007	<input type="checkbox"/> ACIDIZE	<input type="checkbox"/> DEEPEN	<input type="checkbox"/> REPERFORATE CURRENT FORMATION
	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTER CASING	<input type="checkbox"/> FRACTURE TREAT	<input type="checkbox"/> SIDETRACK TO REPAIR WELL
	<input type="checkbox"/> CASING REPAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> NEW CONSTRUCTION	<input type="checkbox"/> TEMPORARILY ABANDON
	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE TO PREVIOUS PLANS	<input type="checkbox"/> OPERATOR CHANGE	<input type="checkbox"/> TUBING REPAIR
	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE TUBING	<input type="checkbox"/> PLUG AND ABANDON	<input type="checkbox"/> VENT OR FLARE
<input type="checkbox"/> SUBSEQUENT REPORT (Submit Original Form Only) Date of work completion:	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE WELL NAME	<input type="checkbox"/> PLUG BACK	<input type="checkbox"/> WATER DISPOSAL
	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE WELL STATUS	<input type="checkbox"/> PRODUCTION (START/RESUME)	<input type="checkbox"/> WATER SHUT-OFF
	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: Operator Name Change
	<input type="checkbox"/> CONVERT WELL TYPE	<input type="checkbox"/> RECOMPLETE - DIFFERENT FORMATION	

12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.

Effective January 1, 2007 operator of record, QEP Uinta Basin, Inc., will hereafter be known as QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY. This name change involves only an internal corporate name change and no third party change of operator is involved. The same employees will continue to be responsible for operations of the properties described on the attached list. All operations will continue to be covered by bond numbers:

Federal Bond Number: 965002976 (BLM Reference No. ESB000024)

Utah State Bond Number: 965003033

Fee Land Bond Number: 965003033

Current operator of record, QEP UINTA BASIN, INC., hereby resigns as operator of the properties as described on the attached list.

Successor operator of record, QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY, hereby assumes all rights, duties and obligations as operator of the properties as described on the attached list

Jay B. Neese, Executive Vice President, QEP Uinta Basin, Inc.

Jay B. Neese, Executive Vice President  
Questar Exploration and Production Company

NAME (PLEASE PRINT) Debra K. Stanberry TITLE Supervisor, Regulatory Affairs  
SIGNATURE DATE 3/16/2007

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1. TYPE OF WELL: OIL WELL ☐ GAS WELL ☐ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

2. NAME OF OPERATOR:

QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY

3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR:

1050 17th Street Suite 500 Denver

STATE CO ZIP 80265

PHONE NUMBER:

(303) 308-3068

4. LOCATION OF WELL:

FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: attached

COUNTY: Uintah

QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN:

STATE:

UTAH

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER:  
see attached

6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME:  
see attached

7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME:  
see attached

8. WELL NAME and NUMBER:  
see attached

9. API NUMBER:  
attached

10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT:

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TYPE OF SUBMISSION

☒ NOTICE OF INTENT  
(Submit in Duplicate)

Approximate date work will start:

1/1/2007

☐ SUBSEQUENT REPORT  
(Submit Original Form Only)

Date of work completion:

TYPE OF ACTION

☐ ACIDIZE

☐ ALTER CASING

☐ CASING REPAIR

☐ CHANGE TO PREVIOUS PLANS

☐ CHANGE TUBING

☐ CHANGE WELL NAME

☐ CHANGE WELL STATUS

☐ COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS

☐ CONVERT WELL TYPE

☐ DEEPEN

☐ FRACTURE TREAT

☐ NEW CONSTRUCTION

☐ OPERATOR CHANGE

☐ PLUG AND ABANDON

☐ PLUG BACK

☐ PRODUCTION (START/RESUME)

☐ RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE

☐ RECOMPLETE - DIFFERENT FORMATION

☐ REPERFORATE CURRENT FORMATION

☐ SIDETRACK TO REPAIR WELL

☐ TEMPORARILY ABANDON

☐ TUBING REPAIR

☐ VENT OR FLARE

☐ WATER DISPOSAL

☐ WATER SHUT-OFF

☒ OTHER: Well Name Changes

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PER THE ATTACHED LIST OF WELLS, QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY REQUESTS THAT THE INDIVIDUAL WELL NAMES BE UPDATED IN YOUR RECORDS.

NAME (PLEASE PRINT) Debra K. Stanberry

TITLE Supervisor, Regulatory Affairs

SIGNATURE

DATE 4/17/2007

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# United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Utah State Office  
P.O. Box 45155  
Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0155



IN REPLY REFER TO  
3180  
UT-922

April 23, 2007

Questar Exploration and Production Company  
1050 17th Street, Suite 500  
Denver, Colorado 80265

Re: Glen Bench Enhanced Recovery Unit  
Uintah County, Utah

Gentlemen:

On April 12, 2007, we received an indenture dated April 6, 2007, whereby QEP Uinta Basin, Inc. resigned as Unit Operator and Questar Exploration and Production Company was designated as Successor Unit Operator for the Glen Bench Enhanced Recovery Unit, Uintah County, Utah.

This indenture was executed by all required parties and the signatory parties have complied with Sections 5 and 6 of the unit agreement. The instrument is hereby approved effective April 23, 2007. In approving this designation, the Authorized Officer neither warrants nor certifies that the designated party has obtained all required approval that would entitle it to conduct operations under the Glen Bench Enhanced Recovery Unit Agreement.

Your nationwide oil and gas bond No. ESB000024 will be used to cover all federal operations within the Glen Bench Enhanced Recovery Unit.

It is requested that you notify all interested parties of the change in unit operator. Copies of the approved instruments are being distributed to the appropriate federal offices, with one copy returned herewith.

Sincerely,

/s/ Greg J. Noble

Greg J. Noble  
Acting Chief, Branch of Fluid Minerals

Enclosure

bcc: Field Manager - Vernal (w/enclosure)  
SITLA  
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining  
File - Glen Bench Enhanced Recovery Unit (w/enclosure)  
Agr. Sec. Chron  
Reading File  
Central Files

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1. TYPE OF WELL OIL WELL <input type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____		7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME: N/A
2. NAME OF OPERATOR: QEP UINTA BASIN, INC		8. WELL NAME and NUMBER: GB 8ML-17-8-22
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 1571 E. 1700 S. CITY VERNAL STATE UT ZIP 84078		9. API NUMBER: 4304737995
4. LOCATION OF WELL FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: 1850' FNL 462' FEL		10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT: NATURAL BUTTES
QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN: SENE 17 8S 22E		COUNTY: UINTAH
		STATE: UTAH

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<input type="checkbox"/> SUBSEQUENT REPORT (Submit Original Form Only) Date of work completion: _____			

12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.

QEP Uinta Basin, Inc. hereby requests a 1 year extension on the GB 8ML-17-8-22.

Approved by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining

Date: 04-10-07  
By: [Signature]

COPY SENT TO OPERATOR  
Date: 4-11-07  
Initials: RM

NAME (PLEASE PRINT) <u>Laura Bills</u>	TITLE <u>Regulatory Assistant</u>
SIGNATURE <u>[Signature]</u>	DATE <u>4/9/2007</u>

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**Application for Permit to Drill  
Request for Permit Extension  
Validation**

(this form should accompany the Sundry Notice requesting permit extension)

**API:** 43-047-37995  
**Well Name:** GB 8ML-17-8-22  
**Location:** 1850' FNL 462' FEL, SENE, SECTION 17, T8S, R221  
**Company Permit Issued to:** QEP UINTA BASIN, INC.  
**Date Original Permit Issued:** 4/17/2006

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.

Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location? Yes ☐ No ☒


Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or right-of-way, which could affect the proposed location? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes ☐ No ☒

Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes ☒ No ☐

  
Signature

4/9/2007  
Date

Title: REGULATORY ASSISTANT

Representing: QEP UINTA BASIN, INC.

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**SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS**

**Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.**

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0135  
Expires July 31, 1996

5. Lease Serial No.

**UTU-65276**

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

**N/A**

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

**N/A**

8. Well Name and No.

**GB 8ML-17-8-22**

9. API Well No.

**43-047-37995**

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

**NATURAL BUTTES**

11. County or Parish, State

**UINTAH**

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other Instructions on reverse side**

1. Type of Well

☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

**QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO.**

Contact: **Jan Nelson**

3a. Address

**11002 East 17500 South, Vernal, UT 84078**

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

**435-781-4331**

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

**1850' FNL 462' FEL, SENE, SECTION 17, T8S, R22E**

**12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA**

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	<b>APD EXTENSION</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Questar Exploration & Production Co. hereby requests a 1 year extension on the APD for the GB 8ML-17-8-22.

BLM APD approval date: 10/27/2006.

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**VERNAL FIELD OFFICE**  
**2007 AUG 20 PM 4:36**  
**DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR**  
**BUREAU OF LAND MGMT.**

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed)

**Laura Bills**

Title

**Regulatory Affairs**

Signature

*Laura Bills*

Date

**August 20, 2007**

**THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE**

Approved by

*[Signature]*

Title

**Petroleum Engineer**

Date

**AUG 22 2007**

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Office

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on reverse)

**UDOGM**

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ATTACHED**

**Application for Permit to Drill  
Request for Permit Extension  
Validation**

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**API:** 43-047-37995  
**Well Name:** GB 8ML-17-8-22  
**Location:** 1850' FNL 462' FEL, SENE, SEC. 17, T8S, R22E  
**Company Permit Issued to:** Questar Exploration & Production Co.  
**Date Original Permit Issued:** 10/27/2006

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.

Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

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Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes ☐ No ☒

Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes ☒ No ☐

  
Signature

8/20/2007

Date

Title: REGULATORY AFFAIRS

Representing: Questar Exploration & Production Co.

# **CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

## **QEP Uintah Basin, Inc.**

### **Notice of Intent APD Extension**

**Lease:** UTU-65276  
**Well:** GB 8ML-17-8-22  
**Location:** SENE Sec 17-T8S-R22E

An extension for the referenced APD is granted with the following conditions:

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1. The extension and APD shall expire on 10/27/08.
2. No other extension shall be granted.

If you have any other questions concerning this matter, please contact Ryan Angus of this office at (435) 781-4430

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2. NAME OF OPERATOR: QUESTAR EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION CO.		6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME: N/A
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 11002 E. 17500 S. CITY VERNAL STATE UT ZIP 84078		7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME: N/A
PHONE NUMBER: (435) 781-4301		8. WELL NAME and NUMBER: GB 8ML-17-8-22
4. LOCATION OF WELL FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: 1850' FNL 462' FEL		9. API NUMBER: 4304737995
QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN: SENE 17 8S 22E		10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT: NATURAL BUTTES
COUNTY: UINTAH		STATE: UTAH

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	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE WELL STATUS	<input type="checkbox"/> PRODUCTION (START/RESUME)	<input type="checkbox"/> WATER SHUT-OFF
	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: <u>APD EXTENSION</u>
	<input type="checkbox"/> CONVERT WELL TYPE	<input type="checkbox"/> RECOMPLETE - DIFFERENT FORMATION	

12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.

Questar Exploration & Production Co. hereby requests a 1 year extension on the GB 8ML-17-8-22.

Approved by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining

Date: 04-09-08  
By: [Signature]

COPY SENT TO OPERATOR

Date: 4.14.2008  
Initials: KS

NAME (PLEASE PRINT) <u>Laura Bills</u>	TITLE <u>Associate Regulatory Affairs Analyst</u>
SIGNATURE <u>[Signature]</u>	DATE <u>4/2/2008</u>

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**Application for Permit to Drill  
Request for Permit Extension  
Validation**

(this form should accompany the Sundry Notice requesting permit extension)

**API:** 43-047-37995  
**Well Name:** GB 8ML-17-8-22  
**Location:** 1850' FNL 462' FEL, SENE, SEC. 17, T8S, R22E  
**Company Permit Issued to:** Questar Exploration & Production Co.  
**Date Original Permit Issued:** 4/17/2006

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.

Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or right-of-way, which could affect the proposed location? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes ☐ No ☒

Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes ☒ No ☐

*Amya Biele*  
Signature

4/2/2008

Date

Title: Associate Regulatory Affairs Analyst

Representing: Questar Exploration & Production Co.

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MICHAEL R. STYLER  
Executive Director

### Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA  
Division Director

October 30, 2008

Laura Bills  
QEP Uinta Basin Inc.  
11002 East 17500 South  
Vernal, Utah 84078

Re: APD Rescinded – Glen Bench 8ML-17-8-22, Sec. 17, T. 8S, R. 22E  
Uintah County, Utah API No. 43-047-37995

Dear Ms. Bills:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the subject well was approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) on April 17, 2006. On April 10, 2007 and on April 9, 2008, the Division granted a one-year APD extension. On October 30, 2008, you requested that the division rescind the state approved APD. No drilling activity at this location has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill the well is hereby rescinded, effective October 30, 2008.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval prior to the commencement of any future work on the subject location.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,

Diana Mason  
Environmental Scientist

cc: Well File  
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal





# United States Department of the Interior

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Vernal Field Office

170 South 500 East

Vernal, UT 84078

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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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December 31, 2008

Jan Nelson  
Questar Exploration & Production, Co.  
11002 East 17500 South  
Vernal, UT 84078

Re: *43 047 37995*  
Notice of Expiration  
Well No. GB 8ML-17-8-22  
SENE, Sec. 17, T8S, R22E  
Uintah County, Utah  
Lease No. UTU-65276

Dear Ms. Nelson:

The Application for Permit to Drill the above-referenced well was approved on October 27, 2006. A one (1) year extension of the original APD was requested. The request was reviewed and the extension approved until October 27, 2008. According to our records, no known activity has transpired at the approved location. In view of the foregoing, this office is notifying you that the approval of the referenced application has expired. If you intend to drill at this location in the future, a new Application for Permit to Drill must be submitted.

This office requires a letter confirming that no surface disturbance has been made for this drill site. Any surface disturbance associated with the approved location of this well is to be rehabilitated. A schedule for this rehabilitation must be submitted to this office. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (435) 781-4455.

Sincerely,

*Cindy Severson*

Cindy Severson  
Land Law Examiner

cc: UDOGM

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